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Dear Sir:

In regard to the Office Action dated December 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Please enter Applicants' Amendments to the Specification, which begin on page 2 of this letter.

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Applicants' Remarks follow on page 6 of this paper.

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